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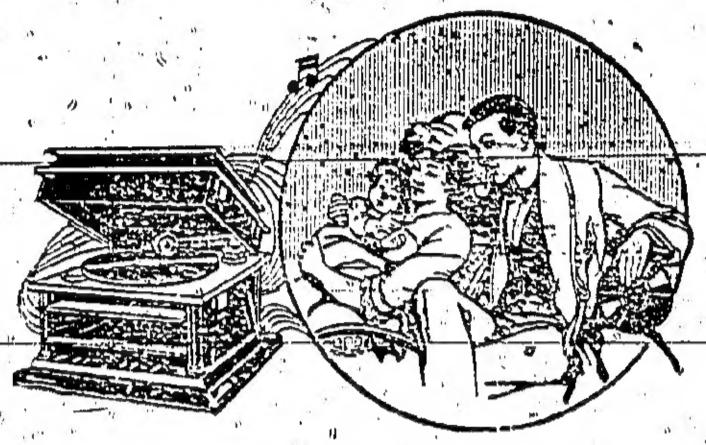
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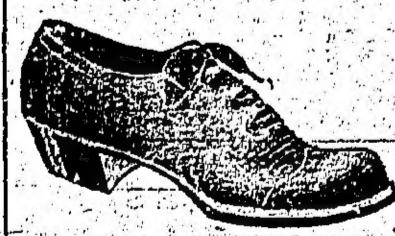
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The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from THURS-DAY, the 20th January to TUESDAY, 1st February, 1916 (both days inclusive), By Order of the Board of Directors.

MOWERAY S. NONTHOOTE, Acting Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Limited. General Agents for the West Point Building Co., Limited. Hongkong, Jan. 13, 1918,

THE HONGKONG CENTRAL ESTATE LIMITED.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs Jardine, Matheson and Company, Limited, on Tuesday 1st February, 1916, at 11.45 A.M. for the purpose of receiving Report of the Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1915.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from THURS-DAY 20th January to TUESDAY 1st February, 1916 (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors. THE HONGKONG CENTRAL ESTATE, Ltd. MOWBRAY S." NORTHCOTE Acting Secretary to

The General Managers. Hongkong, Jan. 13, 1916.

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Ry Order of the Board of Directors, MOWERAY S. NORTHCOTE, Acting Secretary Bongkong, Jan. 13, 1916.

THE HONGKONG LAND RECLAMA TION COMPANY LIMITED.

TOTICE 18 HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTEENTH ORDINARY MEET-NG of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Messra. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on TUES-DAY. 1st February, 1916 ab 12.15 P.M., Accounts for the year ending : 81st The REGISTER of SHARES of Company will be CLOSED from THURS. DAY, 20th to TUESDAY, lat February.

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Hongkong, Jan. 18, 1916,

#### SHIPPING AND THE STATE.

1st December. The Look Out Man in Fairplay makes these observations on a proposal that the drill-order. Government should run the mercantile

In the House of Commons on Tuesday last week, in answer to a question Sir E. Cornwall, the Bresident of the drill order. Board of Trade stated that the whole Directors together with a Statement of question of the control of merchant ship-Accounts for the year ending 31st Decam- plug, including the possibility of placing the management of all vessels under the British flag in the hands of an executive, had been considered by the Government, and two Orders in Council had been made, during which period no Transfer of Shares the first prohibiting British ships from carrying cargo from one foreign port snother foreign port, except under licence, and the second giving power to requisis tion merchant ships for the carriage of foodstuffs and other necessary supplies to this country. What Sir E. Cornwall wanted the Government to do was to take over the whole of the British ships not 36 at present requisitioned and to endeavour THE CHINA HOMEWARD to run them in the general trades for the benefit of the country, paying owners a fixed rate of hire. Such a step would certainly end in disaster, every effort by any Government department in the past to run shipping as a commercial venture having ended in failure. I should have thought that Sir E. Cornwall himself had had sufficient experience as a member of the London County Council of running to have convinced him of the folly, Government control in such a tricky and risky business as shipowning. The late Works Department of the L.C.C. notorious for mismanagement, while attempt of the L.C.C. to run a ser of steemers on the River Thames cost t ratepayers from first to last about quarter of a million sterling.

Many years ago the India Office decided to run its own troopships in order to be independent of chartered vessels, and, of course, to secure a profit on the payments which would otherwise have to be made to private concerns. The Serapis. Crocodile and two other ships were built, but the India Office very soon found that it was far cheaper to charter outside tonnage for its requirements, and this step was decided upon and worked well ever since. Then, again, 40 or 50 years, ago the Government considered that they were paying too much to the P. and O. Company for the carriage of mails and entered into a kind of partnership with the Company whereby reduced payment was to be made for the carriage of mails, and the Government was to receive half the profit after certain rate for dividend was reached and pay the original contract price if the expected profit was not made. Government, however, soon cried off case of a State managed concern which has not turned out well in competition fleet, it will be remembered, was created in 1878 at the close of the Russo-Turkish War by "voluntary," contributions, and has been carried on for the "national" benefit and without any idea of paying dividends, the profits when carned being used to increase the fleet. The mismanagement of this concern is notorious, and it has never been able to successfully.

compete with ordinary commercial concerns on equal terms, and never will be. The Westralian Government has also made quite a number of efforts to carry for the purpose of receiving the Report of made quite a number of energy to the Directors together with a Statement of on ordinary businesses to compete in the open market, including hotels, butchers' shops, stock dealing, agricultural implement works, brick works, saw mills, railways (with an accumulated deficit of over £1,000,000), banking, etc. With 1916 (both days Inclusive), during which the exception possibly of public houses the whole of its enterprises have been failures. The Western Mail, of Perth, for the 15th October gives some particulers of the State trading in connection

34 with milk supply and abattoirs. The

State dairy farm, without making any provision for 'depreciation,' or an "apparent discrepancy," showed a loss i the twelve menths of £533, while accolinta for the abattoirs disclosed a loss of £625 against a loss to 30th June, 1914, of £340. Its steamship service berrowed

large sums of money from the Govern ment at 3 per cent., for which the Covernment itself was paying 4 per cent on this side, and purchased four steamers to run in the coasting trade." On the first year's working of these

vessels there was a loss of £22,813, while after two years! working, if the ressels had been sold at "the current market price, half the capital invested would have been lost. One of the steamers, after having proved a failure in Australia. was sent over here for sale, but the condition of the vessel was such that no purchaser has so far been found, although of eye strain you should the demand for tonnage has been unprecedented. The Admiralty have, however, been induced to take over the vessel as a transport, but how much of the taxpayers' money the Admiralty has spent and will spend to fit her for Government Quiroments. requirements would probably surprise the public, and it would be well it some Member of Parliament ascertained the particulars by a question in the House. The answer, if a straight answer could be obtained, would give a useful indicution of the way boats are kept up when run by a Government department. The Commonwealth Government has also been unfortunate in its ateamship entorprises Some years ago it purchased the e.s. Moruya, which was re-named the Stural. and after running her for some time she was sold with a net loss to the community of £14,000.

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# SHIPPING CONFERENCE.

A correspondent writing in the "N. C. Daily" while admitting the advantage which the China, Homeward, Conference offered to the trade generally before the war says: This is no reason why should have since adhered to a policy which was seriously hampering trade. "It is difficult to understand why, because the Conference is giving assistance in intercepting enemy trading, steamers under municipal management should have persisted in its refunal to amend the relate system, or to prevent abippers from chartering without invalidating their claims for rebates. This policy, it seems to me, is absolutely indefensible. The articles for which toninge are specially required are oil seeds, oils and tallow. It

> but shippers were not allowed to do so. The prices for these stticles in London were in October :--Bean oil 25/6 ser against in Sea, Seed 16/6 as against in January ....... Ground nuts 20 - as against in

> was possible to obtain tonnage for these

articles by chartering a few months ago,

Veg. Tallow 32/6 as against in The policy of the Conference has there fore not only resulted in a restraint of trade, but also in serious consequences to consumers in Great Britain.

LEGITIMATION OF CHILDREN II FRANCE.

French Chamber, according to which a child whose father has died at the war. from August 4, 1914, may be declared "legitimate," by the tribunal of first instance, judging in council, under the conditions that from the correspondence or some other circumstance, the will is evident of the two parents to legitimate the child On the other hand, the laws on the marribargain, and the Company was allowed age by procuration is completed by a disto carry out its contracts in its own way. | position after which marriages, even The Russian Volunteer Fleet is another they are declared void, as celebrated after the sudden death at the front of the future husband, continue to have all their effects, regarding the legitimation of the children, with ordinary commercial ventures. This and the rights of the mother and children,

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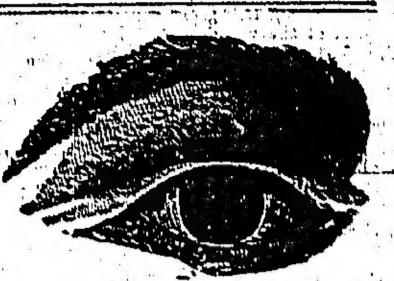
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Hongkong, Jan. 21, 1916

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Several Pianos (in good condition), Electric Reading Lamps, Two large 4-Fold Blackwood Screens, a quantity of Black wood Furniture, etc., etc., etc.

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TERMS VERY MODERATE Consultation.

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THE WAR.

(Continued from page 5.)

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE MONTENEGRINS.

BETTER TO DIE THAN ACCEPT AN AUSTRIAN PEACE."

Rome, Jan. 23. King Nicholas, in a proclamation, says it would be better to die than The Montenegrin General Martinovitch 'missioned officers.

repulsed the Austrians at Berans. WHAT THE AUSTRIANS SAY.

VIENNA, Jan. 23 that peace negotiations will only begin when the Montehegrins are disarmed; and disarmament will take time.

> " THE HOPE OF THE MONTENEGRINS.

Brindist, Jan. 23. The King of aiontenegro and Prince Peter have arrived here en route for

Prince Micko and three Ministers remain in Montenegro. They request the army, which is commanded by General Vokotiich, to continue to fight in an endeavour to rejoin the Serbians in Albania. They hope, with the cooperation of the Allies, to "defend Albania, with a base at Skutari.

RUSSIAN PROGRESS IN THE CAUCASUS.

TURKS MIVEN INTO BEZERUM

PETROGRAD, Jan. 22. drive back the Russians along a broad relying on the co-operation of canfront ended disastrously, for they were themselves repelled with heavy loss and

The Russians, pursuing, captured the town of Hassankala and drove the Turks into the forts of Erzerum, sabring or capturing 1,500, and capturing a gun, 50 much munitions and an entire camp and

The Russians, on the southern shores of Lake Van, drove back the Turks to the westward of Vastan. The Russians, south of Lake Urumia, drove the Kurds beyond the river Diagata.

FUTILE ENEMY EFFORT IN EAST GALICIA.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 22, The Russians on their western front BRASS FENDERS, FIRE BRASSES, captured a German acroplane near the station of Vileyka. An enemy balloon exploded and burst into flames in the air north-west of Zbarash. The car fell into the Russian lines.

The attempt of the enemy to capture s hill north of Czartorysk was repulsed.

THE BRITISH FRONT.

MINOR OPERATIONS.

LONDON, Jan. 21. A communique says that the enemy exploded three mines west of Fricourt doing no damage. We exploded a mine to the east of Festubert. Our artillery dispersed four working parties.

We successfully bombarded gun positions and trenches east of Fleurbaix. Elsewhere there was reciprocal

ARRESTED ENEMY CONSULS TO BE RELEASED.

Washington, Jan. 22. Through the good offices of the United States, the Austrian, German, Turkish, and Bulgarian Consuls who were arrested at Salonika and are now aboard a French warship will be released

> BRITISH MINERS AND COMPULSION.

GOVERNMENT'S SCHEMES

LONDON, Jan. 23. In the House of Commons, Mr. Herbert Samuel referred to the application of the Military Compulsion Bill to miners and explained the amendments removing the pos-Sibility of industrial compulsion. The most important provisions of the Government's scheme are the dilution of labour, the wide extension of controlled establishments, the stan dardisation of wages, and also the utmost possible home production munitions, thus helping the British financial and shipping positions.

TEW USE FOR A LONDON HOTEL

London, Jan. 23. It is announced that the Ministry I Munitions will take over the Hotel Metropole for administrative pur

OLD AGE PENSIONS.

MINERS ASE FOR INCREASE.

LONDON, Jan. 23. Mr. Asquith received a deputation of the Miners' Federation and promised to consider the increasing o old age pensions from 5s. to 7s.

ENEMY THYING TO ESCAPE TO SPANISH TERRITORY.

CAMEROONS CAMPAIGN.

London, Jan. 21. It is officially announced that after !-Cameroons on January 1st, British trian semplane in the Adriatic Sea, and French columns were despatched capturing the crew, const, and cutting off his retreat into to the rescue. the Spanish territory of Muni.

The newspapars are now declaring and Commandant Zimmerman have She was torpedoed amidships. . reached Muni. Eighting-is-reported further south;

> two small French columns from the coast and the French Congo are trying to prevent the escape of the Germans' to Muni.

close to the Spanish border, where

DILUTION OF LABOUR.

LAMENTABLE SHORTAGE OF LABOUR.

LONDON, Jan. 22. In the House of Commons Mr. Asquith affirmed that the dilution of skilled labour by the employment of senri-skilled" and unskilled workers and women offered the only prospec of securing a sufficient, supply of municions to emable the war to be ended speedily and successfully. H regretted that we were still kiment ably short of labour. Consequently. It is officially announced that the the Government would take steps to Turkish attempt in the Caucasus to dairy out their policy of diffution, ployers and werkers.

> IMPORTANT GRAIN PURCHASE IN known in the Far East.] RUMANIA.

BUNHAREST, Jan. 22. The Turks are retreating precipitately The Independance Roumanic says. in all directions to the shelter of the that the British Legation and the Erzerum forts, abandoning magazines, Rumanian Central Commission for been sunk. Three persons were guns, and stores. Everywhere car- the purchase and exportation of grain, killed, and many injured. The surtridges and rifles litter the ground. have concluded an agreement for the vivors were picked up by the Dutch Stragglers crowd the roads. acquisition of 80,000 wagon loads for steamer Prinses Juliana.

BRADFORD'S NEW M.P.

LONDON, Jan. 21. Alderman Hill has been returned unopposed for Central Bradford.

GENERAL-VILLA REPORT OF CAPTURE DENIED.

\_\_ Er Paso, Jan. 21. Villa is deniscl.

WHEAT CULTIVATION IN FRANCE

PARIS. Jan. 91. The area under wheat in France is officially estimated at 5,000,000 bectares compared with 5,500,000 hectares last

NEW ENEMY TRADING BILL

LONDON, Jan. 21. Sir George Cave K.C. (Solicitor General), who conducted the new Enemy Trading Bill in the Commons, said the object of the Bill was to stop gaps in the existing law. He pointed out how companies with many enemy share holders might have profits, including increased war profits, which would continue to accumulate to the credit of those shareholders. Thus a fund was set aside which, at the end of the wa might be of great use to our enemies the economic struggle. He emphasise also that the shipping position was intolerable. The Germans before the was were able to get all the benefits of our laws. These conditions must be changed. There was no idea of confiscation: of property, but the State should have its hand on enemy property until it saw how British property in Germany was treated. Speakers approved of the provisions.

of the Bill and urged the Board of Trade to proceed vigorously.

KING CONSTANTINE AND THE SOVEREIGN RIGHTS OF GREECE.

King Constantine, in an interview with a correspondent of the Russko Slove said:—"If the Ministers approach me with reference to marial law I shall certainly approve. have no intention to attack free speech, but I cannot allow Greek organs to put forth judgments wounding my Greek feelings. It is inadmissable for Greek papers appeal to foreign countries inviting them not to shrink from interfering with the Sovereign-rights of Greece.

TROOPS AT CORFU.

SATISFACTORY AGREEMENT "REACHED.

Lendon, Jan. 23 interview between the British and 12,000,000 tops of pulp yearly. French Ministers and M. Scouloudis, a satisfactory agreement has been reached concerning the landing of thoops at Coriu.

BRITISH SUBMARINE'S FEAT IN THE ADRIATIC.

SINKS SEAPLANE AND TORPEDO

Коме, Јар. 23. the occupation of Jaunde in the A British submarine sank an Aus-

in various directions with a view to The submarine also sank an Auspressing the enemy towards the trian torpedo bout which was coming The seaphine had fallen into the

One of these columns released 17 sea near Grado, in the Gulf of English and seven French avilian Trieste. The two officers were enprisoners and three French non-com: deavouring to make the machine fly a naval party to the Western front on Reports received on the 18th and the aviators promptly surrent the award of Distinguished Service inst. state that the Germans have dered. The submarine had just Medels to Shipe Corporal Hatherly evacuated Ebolows and Akonolinga, destroyed the scaplane when the The German Governor Ebermaier Austrian torpedo boat rushed "up.

PLIGHT OF ALBANIA

SERBIAN REFUGEES.

Roun, Jan. 23. The American Attache describes took Albania as foodless, and impossible to fire. recuperate after four years of war. Anglo-American relief ... expeditions have brought to Brindisi the hist. 2,000 Serbian refugees.

> CAPTAIN FINCH OF THE " ARABIC."

REWARD FOR SAVING LIFE.

London, Jan. 23. The Lord Mayor of Liverpool presented Captain Finch, the master of the Arabic, with a piece of plate,

which was awarded by the British ! Admiral Stileman mentioned that 2.329 lives had been lost in liners and other vessels as the result of submaxine attacks, of which number half were lost on the Luxitania. The feat performed by Cuptain Finch in saving 496 persons in ten minutes was exampled.

[Ceptain Finch was formerly well. forpeace.

DUTCH STEAMER SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 23. The Dutch steamer Apollo has

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

"LONDON; Jan. 23. The British steamer Trematon has The crew have been

RUSSIAN DESTROYERS ACTIVE.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 23. 'A communique states that Russian destroyers in the Black Sea sank The report of the capture of General forty sailing ships off, the Anatolian

> MILITARY AGE LIMIT INCREASED.

ZURICH, Jan. 28. The increase in the age limit for military, service has caused consternation in Austria-Hungary. The people fear that the announcement means that the Austrian losses are greater than is officially admitted.

HOME POLITICS.

IODIFICATION OF PARTY TRUCE LONDON, Jan. 28. When " the Parliamentary Bill ecomes law next week, there will e an interesting modification of the Party truce, the "Whips deeming it an opportune moment to give effect a number of resignations which ave hitherto been kept in abeyanca. understood that these include Radical member Mr. Francis Neilson, who is now in America.

REQUEL TO SWEDISH PULP PROHIBITION.

POSSIBILITIES FOR BRITISH ENTERPRISE.

LONDON, Jan. 23. The Swedish Chamber of Commerce in London declares that the probibition of the export of wood pulp applies only to chemical and not to mechanical pulp. Licences for the exportation of

the former are obtainable. The papers express the opinion that this modification of the order is due to the threat of British reprisals, and the incident is cited as another example of the folly of Great Britain in depending apon foreign countries for important necessaries which could be produced in the British Empire.

The Imperial Institute dwells on the fact that paper-making materials can be expplied by many parts of the Empire especially India, and points out that in central and northern India enormous forest areas are covered with waste granies which would yield pulp of firstclass quality. In the Mysore district the forests already explored would yield 60,000 tons of grasses yearly for paper material purposes. Large tracts o bamboo are also available in lower Burms and southern India.

Major-General Baitt, in a letter the Times states that in Burms, alone The Buening News correspondent bamboo areas within economic range at Athena says that as a result of an of river transport could product

> TROR a good solid meal, a la corta Table d'Hôte, with Wine & Liquors of the bett ALEXANDRA CAPE.

. MANCHESTER COURIER " TO SUSPEND PUBLICATION, "

LONDON, Jan. 23. The Manchester Courier, which was established in 1325, announces th approaching suspension of publication owing to the dearness of paper.

NAVAL MEN'S VISIT TO THE TRENCHES.

AWARDS FOR BRAVERY.

LONDON, Jan. 23, An interesting sequel to the visit of when the submarine approached, the 3rd inst. is the announcement of and Petty Officer Bright

When the naval party were in the front line of trenches the explosion of several mines rendered the local posi tion temporarily critical. The naval men rose to the occasion splendidly. Hatherly and Bright, seeing a machine gun team knocked out, immediately manned the gun while other naval men took rifles, all keeping up a sustained

.The Brigadier General who was present expressed the admiration of the ranks at the naval men's conduct.

MISS CAVELL'S BETRAYER SHOT.

AMSTERDAM, Jap. 23. General von Bissing has fined Brussels half a million marks, and Schaer beek 50,000 marks because no information is forthcoming against the man who killed Miss Cavell's betrayer, and whose body was found at Schaerbeck with two bullet wounds in it.

-GERMANY-FINES-BRUSSELS:

"MONTENEGRO NEVER CAPITULATED."

Rome, Jan. 22. The Montenegrin Consul-General announces & that Montenegro never capitulated or negotiated with Austria

AUSTRO-GERMAN DISILLUSION.

Austendau, Jan. 23. To-day's Austrian communique must have completed the Austre-German distillusionment with reference . It says that the disarming of the Montenegrin army, which is a condition

of further peace negotiations is preceeding, and that Austro-German troops for this purpose have begun to march into the interior. Montenegrin soldiers, meeting these troops must surrender their arms, and those doing so without resisting will be allowed to remain in their villages. The resisters will be forcibly disarmed and made prisoners. This solution is based on military country and its population.

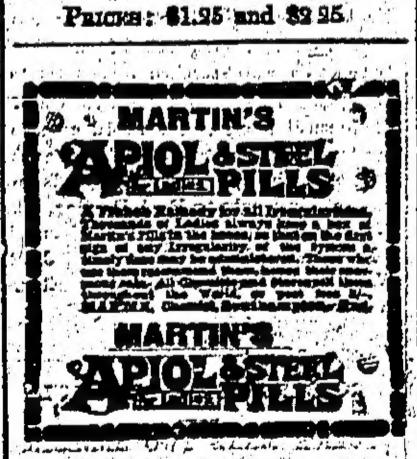
THE NEWS IN GERMANY.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 23. The German Press is breaking gently the fact that Montenegro has not surrendered, and says that something has gone wrong with the negotiations. appears that the "Monetenegro army refused to give up its arms.

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The China Mail.

Hongsong, Monday, Jan. 24, 1916;

AN EASTERN PULP

ENTERPRISE.

To the Hongkong shareholders in

the Tonkin Pulp Company the tele-

gram published to-day on the subject

pulp from Sweden, and the result this

is likely to have on the development

of the pulp industry within the British

Empire, possesses more than passing

years ago with a capital of \$660,000

raised in Tonkin and Hongkong. A

large tract of land was acquired on

which there is an unlimited supply

the manufacture of pulp. Costly

bamboo forests, and, after some in-

itial difficulties, a very excellent pulp

it in the East as well as, in Europe.

have been exhausted, and the Com-

pany decided on an issue of 2,000

know, but a number was applied for

which the Directors considered justi-

fied them in proceeding to allotment

If the full number were allotted,

eighteen months ago. The share-

holders-Hongkong shareholders at

were notified that a meeting of

the question of the dissolution of

liquidators with special powers to

dispose of the property to any new

company under conditions to be

fixed by the forthcoming meeting

of shareholders. While this enter-

prise has proved a failure, for reasons

unknown to the general body of share-

holders, it is noteworthy that Indian

papers during the past few months

enterprises of a similar kind being

from this, and from what is published

this morning on the authority of the

Imperial Institute, that at the present

time a fine future is afforded for such

a pulp manufacturing company

that which already exists in Tonkir

and it has become a matter of wide

public interest to know the causes of

the failure. Certainly scant courtesy

to say the least, has been shown to the

shareholders in the concern, for not

the reasons for the failure of the enter-

prise, and we know that applications

to the Head Office of the Company

for copies of any reports or financia

statements that may have been

presented at meetings in Haiphong

have failed to elicit even the courtesy

The Shanghai Bank of Communication

has, been instructed by its Poking Head

Office to pay \$2 000 for funeral expenses

be paid for with government funds.

of un answer of any kind.

even they have been imformed

have contained several references

least-have heard nothing of

until just recently when

shareholders is to be held

the company and nomination

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works were set up close to

the prohibition of the export of

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#### MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

2.39 p.m. - Auction of two Great Danes at Messra. Hughes and Hough's. 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Furniture. Blackwood, Carpetag setc. at Messra. Hughes and Hough's.

#### General Memoranda.

WENNESDAY, Jan. 26. -Prize Distribution at the Diocesan School by Hon. Mr. P. H. Helycak. TECHSDAY, Jan 27:-

11 a.m. - Distribution of Prizes by Mr. Ho Kom tong at Salyingpun School. FRIDAY, Jan. 28:-

Hongkong Stock Exchange, Sottlement Day for January.

Noon .- Distribution of Prizes at Belilios Public School by Lady May. 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture at Mesers. Hughes and Hough's.

SATURDAY, Jan. 29 .-11 s.m. - Prize Giving at the Ellis Kadoerie School by Hon. Mr.

SUNDAY, JAB. 30:-9 a.m.-Excursion to Macao by

"Taishan" BIONDAY, Jan. 31 :-Noon.-Distribution of Prizes at Queen's

College by H. E. the Governor. 9. 5 p.m.-Piano Recital by Mr. Denman Fuller, F.R.C.O., L.R.A.M., in the

TownAve Feb. 1 :-11:00 a.m. - West Point Building Co's.

City Hall.

Meeting. 11.47 a.m -H.K. Central Estate's Mesting.

Noon .- H. R. Land Investment and Agency Co's. Meeting. 12.15 pm.-H.K. Land Reclamation

Co's. Meeting. PRODUCAT. Feb. 3 .-Chinese New Year Day. Public Holiday.

the family of Mr Chang Sze-chen, the -PRINTED AT In addition the children's education is to 'Ohina Mail'Office.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Three cases of diphtheria, all fatal, and two cues of enterio fever (one fetal) were reported in the Colony lut week. All the cases were Chinese.

The Annual Meeting of seat-holders and subscribers of St. John's Cathedral will be held in the City Hall at 5.33, p.m. to-morrew, the 25th instant.

His Excellency the Governor has conmoted to open the Harbour and Taumati Dispense y (of the Chinese Public Dispensaries) to-morrow at 3 p.m.

The Manile Observatory last night reported a typhoon E. of northern Mindanao moying W. or W. N. W. To-day's information, is that the typhoon is E of Mindanao, ulmost stationary,

Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks a denation of \$20 0 small silver (-\$183.20) to the funds of the Hospitals from the Poulbry Guild.

A Police Notification is published in Saturday's Gast's giving permission for the firing of erackers, in connection with the Chinese New Year colebrations, at h urs and in districts which are specified in the

H.E. the Governor has been please ed to appoint Mr. Nicholas George Nolan Chief Interpreter, Supreme Court, to be a Member of the Board of Examiners from the 18th inst. Mr. Nolan, who was born in Hongkong, has been Chief Interpretor at the Supreme Court for the last six ya rs.

Amongst recent donations to The Times Red Cross Fund is a sum of 2700 sent by Mr. and Mrs. Stabb, of Hongkong, per Mr. A. M. Townsend (to provide motor ambulance launch for the Dardanelles), Other contributions are :- £20 by the staff of the Eastern Extension, Australasia, and China Telegraph Company; and £10 by interest. The Société des Pulpes et Mr. Wu Ting-seng, Shanghai (for "Our Papeteries was formed about five Day").

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. F. B. Marshall arrived yesterday of bamboo specially suitable for by the s.s. "Haiching."

> Mr Roy Scott Auderson, Advisor to the Ministry of Commerce at Peking, has been on a visit to South China, and is leaving Hongkong for the North to-

was produced and markets found for Major C. E. Heathcote, D.S.O., King's pattalion in Hongkong, has just been appointed to the command of a Territorial Battalion. .. He won his D.S.O. in the present war. He has been given the tem. these shares were taken up we do porary rank of lieutenant-celonel. "

Dr. C. Donglas Gray, the doctor attached to the British Legation at Peking, saves for home about the and of this month, having been appointed a major in the another \$100,000 was added to the R. A.M.C. Mrs Gray possesses the Royal Capital of the Company. This issue. of Preference Shares took place about

'Among the list of passengers by the "Fushimi Maru," which left London on operations of the Company since, the 15th inst., will be found the following . they names :- Mr J. W. Jamieson, H.B.M Consul-General at Canton; Mr G. W. Barton, Mr. Rentiers, H.B.M. Consul-General at Manils, and Mrs Ren'iers, and Haiphong next month to consider Mr J. Walker.

ATTEMPTED HIGHWAY ROBBERY

EVENING SCENE IN CHATHAM ROAD.

A Chinese fitter who was wa king along Chatham Road, Kowlocu, on the evening of the 23rd inst. was attacked from behind by two men who searched him and tried to steal a canvas belt in which he carried \$25 in small money. He raised cries for assistance and the men alarmed, ran away. Before they had gone a hundred yards one projected in India. One would think was smartly caught by P. C. Dawling. The other escaped in the direction of Yaumati. Prisoner was brought before Mr. J. R. Wood to-day and remanded until to morrow."

> ROBBERS GET A BIG HAUL POLICE MAKE TWO ARRESTS.

Armed robbers who gained admission to 39, Gage Street by a ruse, atole \$794 in money which they took from the safe, a gold watch and appendages worth \$110. a diamond ring valued at \$2,000, a promissory note for \$100, together with two gold. bracelets and a diamond ring of the value of 82,359, the property of the occupant's wife. The men numbered six. One carried a revolver which he pointed at Chin the struggles of China for reform? Ching Fung, the occupier, and the remainder carried knives. At the point of the revolver. Chin had the keys of the sale taken from his girdle and then he was struck on the head with the butt end of the weapon. The occupants were then

Information was soon after given to the late manager of the bank, who was Police and as a result of the vigilance of necessinated on January 9, and 840,000 as I the Detective Department, jawellery worth compensation to the widow of Mr Chang, 8267 and the promissory note have been recovered and two men arrested.

THE MAGISTRACY.

RIFLE PARTS.

For possessing, the bolt and other parts of a ride, a. Chinese of Upper Lasonr Row was fined \$25, or a month's imprisonment Inspect r Sim said the parts all bere the same number.

CHARGE OF DRUNEENNESS.

A Japanese was charged before Mr. Hazeland this morning with being drank and disorderly. He admitted the offence. He was arrested in Sumpan street early this morning. Defendent, who had 40 Yen upon him, was fined 3"Yen.

AN OVER ZEALOUS "SPECIAL"

Two Chinese chess players were charged by special constable M. A. Antonio with obstructing the pathway outside the Chiness Recreation Ground, Hollywood Road. The Magistrate in dismissing the cases said he did not regard it as a matter of he > heard it remarked that there to take systematic action; then a week's people don't know where to place it. notice would have to be given."

HEAVY FINE.

A Chinese soaman on board the s.s. American was charged this morning with being in possession of 20 tack of prepared

Inspector Wilden said defendant was arrested at the Macao steamboat wharf and stated that he brought the drug from Ewang-chau-wans

A fine of \$2,000 was imposed.

ALLEGED VIOLENT ROBBERY.

Three Chinese charged by Dectective Watt with committing a robbery and assaulting the occupier of 37 Gilmsu Street were remanded by Mr Wood until Taursday.

Defendants are accused of taking away Mr Shenton, of Mesers Descon, Looker a peculiar interest:-Descon and Harston's office, prosecuting, asked for the adjournment.

#### OPIUM SMOKERS FINED

Seven Chinese from Yaumati were charged this morning with being in postession of opium-dross, and frequenting a divan. "The first defendant was also charged with keeping an opium divan.

Sergt. Lanighan prosecuted, saying the place had been under observation for a

Mr. Hazeland fined the first defendant \$75 or a month and the remainder \$2 each

> ALLEGED UNREGISTERED SOCIETY.

POLITICS IN SOUTH CHINA. Alleged Unregistered Club the Wau" conducted at 24 Connaught Road

Wood at-day, Mr. G. N. Orms of the Crown Solicitor's Office prosecuted and Mesers J. II. Gardiner, Kong Sing, and A. M. Preston defended.

West, was resumed before Mr. J. R.

The names of the defendants are:-Lam Man Pui, 65 Des Voeux Road Central; Chui Ping Nam, 30 counsught Road Red Cross, the highest decoration awarded | Central ; Ip Wong Cho, Connaught Road West; Chiu Yan Chun, 19 Peel Street; Wong Nai Chenng, 24 Connaught Road; and Lau Tin Suk, 33 Sai King Road. first defendant denied that he was a

member of the Club. Mr Orme: What club do you belong to; you have not to go home every night?

Witness: I do not belong to any club. Where do you go when you have finished pusiness?—My business occupies all my

Have you anything to do with politics?-

. It does not matter whether there is Republic or Monarchy in China ?- I don't care so much about that; it is no business

Interrogated further, witness declared tract:that he spent all his time looking after his business. He was at the promises 24 Connaught Road looking for a friend. He witness) was an American merchant.

Mr Orme :- And your friends in America are not intrested in politics in South Witness :- I have no power to interfere scope of his endeavour.

Ip Wing Cho declared that he visited the remises on Dec. 3 and 4th. Mr. Orme: That was the first time. during that epoch-making period that you

Defendant replied in the affirmative. Chui Ping Nam swore he was in the louse visiting friends when the Police came. He had had money transactions with Mr Chu Yan Po over domestic affairs.

money could be used for political purposes. Defendant: The transactions were on a small scale; we each borrowed money from And who has won !- He borrowed from

me twice (laughter), And you think you will get your money? -I must wait until I see him. Mr Orms: If you ask me I think he has played you false. Tou do not know what work Mr Chui Yan Po is doing on Lehalf of the nation ?- No. " American Ohinese take no interest

observed Mr Ormo, Ironically The hearing was again adjourned.

DO YOU COUGH

TON'T overstrain the fine membrane of pold that is careing it. For sale by all and Storekeepers Chemists and Store Lespors

BY THE WAY.

I hear that our local amateurs are preparing to stage "The Angel of the House" sometime in March.

Sir Francis Piggott since he went Home bus figured a good deal in the pages of our leading magazine. I notice that Sir Francis is now before the public in a new role. In collaboration with Mr. Louis Parker, the drainatist and composer, Sir Francis was engaged when she last mail-left nuking a most charming thing on London Voices, all the old London street cries being reproduced in musical playlet staged after the Wheatley prints." The production was to be given at His Majesty' Theatre, and Queen Alexandra was

In explanation of the high level at which local stocks are standing importance, unless the Police were going so much money in Hongkong that I had my doubts on the subject until I read in a northern paper that when General Tsni Ao, leader of the Yunnan revolt, was in Hongkong on his journey to Yunnan a Chinese residents raised \$17,000,000 to most the military expenses. The Peking Government, on hearing this, des patched Admiral Tsai, private secretary in English of Yuan Shih-kai, to proceed to Hongkong in order to prevent further contribution to Yunnon from that region." This story too, must be taken cum grano salis but in any case I think the Peking Government could give to our Chinese millionaires better security for their surplus capital than the rebels of Yunnan are able to guarantee.

In view of the coming Races, the following paragraph which I observed from the house \$19.50 and a cheque for \$200. | in a recent London paper will have

THE FRENT ON HORSEBACK AT HONGRONG Hongkong, whele the Government keeping an eye, on the wealthy German colony, used to be a curious place. breezy sailor who was stationed there good many years ago wrotes." No sigh in civilised life was funnier than the Hongkong races-when white-livered British clerks would contend on horseback

with swag-bellied Germans." This must be a bit of ancient

There be three things which are too wonderful for me, yea, four which I know not: The way of an eagle in the gir; the way of a serpent upon a rock; the way of a ship in the midst of the sea; and the way of a man with a maid." This extract is from WILLAM POWELL, LTD. By this time the capital seems to Own Light Infantry, who served with the well-to-do Chinese of being members of an written a long, time ago. If Agur, "Yeo the son of Jakeh, had lived in these times, and had been a journalist he would have said that there was still another thing " too wonderful " for him -- the way of the Censor with the news. It has been a subject general comment that nothing definite has been allowed to appear. in the papers of the Colony about the departure of the prisoners of war. Not only has this information gone out of the Colony in scores letters, but I see in the Shanghai help appreciating what the British Navy papers of Tuesday last a Reuter's telegram announcing their departure and giving the name of the ship on which they embarked!

> A propos of the remarks in thi column last week on the reputation Hongkong has for being pro-German, notice in the latest number of the Punch to hand (dated 8th ult.), an article entitled "The War Poem in which an uninspired poet trying to write the poem appeals to iriends round him for !! lots of names of German places, so as to show people what they are doing all over the The following is an

It fills my seal with mournful wonder That Huns still walk the Apollo Bunder."

The poet was inclined to doubt the accuracy of this statement " and rejected it as not within the immediate

There are lots of Germans in Shanghai," interrupted the young Doctor, in Hongkong, the Governor-

The moet remarked with considerable Temple. went there to play "sparrow" with a dignity that he was not starting Limerick competition. No doubt the eccentricity of old gentlemen from Peru or the levity of young ladies from Balham might lend, themselves to humorou metrical treatment for the amusement Mr Orme :- You never thought your of callow medical students in peace, bu what lots of people didn't yet realise was the fact that we were at war.

OBSERVER.

DEATH OF MR F. G. FIGG.

We regret to learn by the mail of th death at Surbiton on the 14th ult. of M Frederick G. Figg, who for nearly twenty five years was attached to the Observatory in Hongkong as First Assistant, and latterly as Acting Director,

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER.

TN buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Lyone throat in trying to dislodes the Remedy is the Last for colds, croup and phlegur Chamberlain's Cough Remedy whooping cough, and thet it contains no will accomplish this for you, and ours the harmful drug. For mie by all Chemists ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE.

PRIZES DISTRIBUTED BY REAR ADMIRAL ANSTRUTEER.

The annual prize distribution at St Paul's Coilege took place on Saturday night. There was a large attendance of friends of the College.

students attending College. The VICE-WARDEN (Rev. A. D. STEWART, M.A.) in the annual report, stated that there had been a further increase in the number of boys attending school, the maximum number having been reached during cesses in the League matches, thad been the year, namely, 350 boys. The average fondly expected to win outright on Fature attendance had been more than usually day, and indeed they looked like getting good. Special mention must again be made, shead all through the first half, the display of Chung Ue Kong, who has now completed seven full years without missing a single moderate. The Club also had the mission day's attendance. He had also won his selected colours for football, volley ball, and swimming, and also obtained Honours in very ordinary display and this handicap.

The work throughout all the Chinese classes had been good, particularly, this will, and their last op n play kept the year, in the Hongkong University Senior | Shropshires' defence both busy and gues-Locals: two entered at M'dsummer, both sing. The Club's forward play was passing ; eve, Loung Ping Sun, with vigorous ra her than scientific, but it distinction in two subjects; and the served its purpose admirably, and its value other, Ip Kan Wa, with a scholarship was enhanced by the fine exhibition of into the University. At Xmas five Black at right back, who tackled cleanly. entered. of whom four passed. In the kicked powerfully, and seemed to be every-Junior Locals fourteen entered, of whore at once. The halves, led by Chassels. whom eleven passed, four obtaining dia- also showed great dash and smartness, and tinction, Chan Yam Tin in Bookkeeping, mention should also be made of McCubbin. Wai Lan Sang and Wong Yee But in Religious Knowledge, and Woo See In in some days ago. On the other side the right Classical Chinese. For the Oxford Pre-

passed, two obtaining Third Class Honours: and speedily fought, the pace being ever This was the first time that the school had obtained Honours in this aramination. In the sphere of sports, the past year had been quite the best in the short history The Hoatel had had its full complement

of boarders throughout the year, saveral applicants having to be turned away" for lack of space. They were looking forward to moving into much more commodious and healthy quarters at 11, Caine Road before the end of the holidays. year the Junior School rapidly increased

until, in June, there were 99 in actual attendance. The number has kept up well to the end of the year. Heartiest congratulations were due to Mr Ip Chor Shang, a former member of the staff, for the excellent results. The chief object for which, above all else, this school exists had been kept well in

the setting forward of Christian ideals as the highest aim of a man's life. The Scripture Union numbers over seventy of their side who showed anything like members and the weekly meetings, managed form. by the boys themselves, have been very well attended. In the way of charities a good deal had been done during the year. Several enter-

tainments were got up and the proceeds handed over to various institutions such as the Blind Home, the Foundling Home and the Kowloon City Almshouses. The largest effort was in aid of the Flood Relief Fund when two entertainments were given, bringing in over \$1.400. Before closing this Report he expressed | F. Sutton, c Thursfield, b Reed ...

come on the Saturday mornings throughout R. A. Brand, b Pearce ... ... 80 the year to give an address to the whole M. M. Mass, c Reed, b Thursfield .... 23 The BIEROP OF VICTORIA, said they A. B. Raworth, c Morgan, b Muriel .... were very fortunate in having the Rev. C. C. Stark, not out A. D. Stewart in charge of the College, and in having the services of the others who so zealously helped him, and the staff was to be congratulated on the success that the College had achieved during the past year. They were honoured that evening with the presence of a representative of the British Navy, Rear-Admiral Austruther. Reed ...... Applause.) Where we should be without the British Navy he would not like to think. He was sure that, whether they were British or Chinese, they could not

had done and was doing. They would probably be having no prize-giving there that evening were it not for the Britis The VICE-WARDEN observed that some of the prizes were still on their way out while others might be at the bottom of the Rear-Admiral AMSTRUTHER distributed the prizes to the successful students; and

#### CHINESE SOLICITOR ADMIT-TED TO PRACTICE.

congratulated them on their proficiency in

Mr Tsun Nin Chan, of 12 Po Hing Fong. Hongkong, eldest son of Mr Chau Sin Ki, was admitted to practise in the Supreme Court this morning.

Mr J. H. Kemp, the Attorney General who presented Mr Chau, said he had been educated at St. Stephen's College, Hong, kong, and at Queen's College, Oxford, where he obtained his degree with honours in 1915. He was admitted to the Midd Temple in 1912 and called to the Bar 1914 by the Benchers of the Middl

before him showed that Mr Chan had been summary action in which \$334 was claimed duly called to the Ber at the Middle on account of wages due by several Chineses Temple, and from what the learned employees of the late World Cinematographs Attorney-General had just said, he had previously had a distinguished University record. He was very glad to welcome him as a member of the Bar of that Colony, as a morning's proceedings were for a dismissal. son of a gentleman so well known and so of the notice of motion on the ground that respected in the Colony, and he hoped the appellant was not prosecuting the that he would follow in the footsteps of so appeal. worthy a father. He was very pleased to enrol bim.

Mr Tsun Nin Chau went to England in 1911 and remained there to December of last year. He was admitted to the Middle Temple on January 11th, 1912 and call to the Bar on November 17th, 1914.

CURE THAT COUGH.

HEN you have a troublesome cough counsel for the appallant. WY it does not mean that you have consumption or that you are going to have it, but it does mean that your lungs are threatened, and it is just as well to be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy before it is too late. For sale by all Chemists and Storelsepera.

#### SPORTING.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL.

CHALLENGE SHIRLD GAMES!

CLUB AND SHROPSHIRES DRAW.

Saturday's games in the first round of the Hongkong Utallange Shield competi-The proceedings commenced with a tion were notable for a gralless draw Chinese play in four acts well given by between the Club and the Shropshires, and the entry into the competition for the first time of a Chinese combination selected. from the clover players of the Lam Liong and the C niccians.

The Shropshires, in view of their suc-

the Oxford Pre'iminary Local Examination the Club gave an extremely gratifying this year. The four remaining forwards worked with who came in in the place McTavish injured wing combination was descriving of praise liminary the College sent in 23, all of whom | As has been indicated, the game was cleanly keener after the interval, when the clubmen seemed to last the pice better than their opponents. The replay will probably take place in a fortnight's time.

A strong eleven selected from the 88th Company and the Staff and Departments beat the Chinese combination by three goals to nil, always having the game well in hand throughout. The faction of the Military were far too strenuous for their opponents, whose combination was good in theory but insufficiently determined in practice. Nevertheless the Chinese gave a very hopeful and encouraging display.

SECOND DIVISION GAMES. Neither of the two Second Division games was extraordinarily interesting. In one Kowloon Dock Juniors went down by 4-0 to the 83rd Company, R.G.A., who missed many chances afforded by the weak and injudicious defence of the Juniors. this school exists had been kept well in The other game was between Belchers and view; that is the study of the Bible and the Islamics, resulting in a win for the former by two geals to one, the two backs of the losing eleven being the only players

#### CRICKET

A match between the above teams was played on Saturday. Details :-

HONGXONG "A." C. W. Beswick, c. Pearce, b Reed real gratitude to the Bishop of Victoria E. J. B., Mitchell, b Reed ... and a number of other speakers who had D. E. Donnelly, a Pearce, b Reed ... C. A. Hooper, not out in an and 38

Total (for 7 wickets) ....346

Jacks and N. J. Austin did not bat

Thursfield ..... E. B. Reed, b Mass R. Kennedy, b Branc S. S. Moore, c Brand, b Mass R. Butler, c Austin, b Brand Lieut.-Col. Morgan, b Brand T. E. Pearca, c Hooper, b Donnally ... 17 H. E. Muriel, c Jacks: b Austin...

H. H. Tayler, c Mitchell, b Austin R. P. Thursfield, b Austin. A. L. Gace, not out BOWLING ARALYSIS.

An application was heard this morning by the Full Court consisting of the Chief Justice, Sir W. Rece Davies and Mr Justice: Gompertz, for the dismissal of a motion granting leave to appeal from a decision of Mr F. A. Hazeland when acting Puisne The Chief Justice said that the papers Judge. The judgment was given in a

> Theatre at West Point. The judgment was in favour of the plaintiffs. Leave to appeal was granted, and this

Mr Jankin mid that in this application the respondents saked that the speed should be dismissed with costs. The appellant did not appear and his solicitor had received notice of the fixture of that morning for the hearing of the application." Mr Kong Sing, the appellant's Solicitor, had acquainted the respondent's solicitor that he had no further instructions. The appeal arous out of an issue as to whether the appellant was or was not a partner in the World Cinematograph Theatre, the claim being one for wages.

Mr. Jenkin mentioned that he knew the position of affairs because he had been the The Chief Justice : You really have the audicity to make that statement Mr Jenkin explained that he was only

holding the papers se a form they. The appeal was dismissed, as requested. Mr Jenkin was instructed by Mc J. H.

AN APPEAL DISMISSED.

E. Aubrey, b Brand

#### WAR. THE

#### TELEGRAMS. TO-DAY'S

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

THE MONTENEGRIN

MYSTERY.

AN EXPLANATION.

The Montenegrin Fremier in

communique explains the Monte

He says an exchange of com-

became pecessary after the full of

Montenegrin forces being impeded

on the distant fronts, as well as

giving time for the Serbians to reach

delayed for at least a week.

Alessio and Durazzo. Thus Austria

Vulcoties continue the struggle with

AN OUNPLEASANT SURPRISE

FOR GERMANY.

negrin development for the Germans

is evidenced by the remarks of the

Frankfürter Zeitung yesterday at

Afrer lamenting that nothing

obtainable officially regarding the

reports of the rupture of peace

refrains from comment on a matter

"The Montenegrin Government

distances, bad roads, and hele of

tion have not yet clearly under-

stood the necessity for capitula-

"AN INSPIRED VIENNA

TELEGRAM."

gram asserts that King Nicholas has

surrender, but if "contrary

expection, he should veer round,

it would inake no difference as the

Montenegrin Army is incapable of

resistance as it is impossible for it

to receive provisions and munitions,

THE MONTENEGRIN ROYAL

FAMILY.

The Queen of Montenegro and the

Princesses have arrived at Lyons.

comed them at the station.

in the town.

The Prefect of the Department

Rhone and General D'Amade wei-

THE NEW GOVERNOR OF CETINJE.

HIS FIRST ACT IS TO ERECT A

GALLOWS. "

Austrians have appointed the Bul-

GERMANY'S STARVATION CRY.

ITS HOLLOWNESS EXPOSED

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 28

The hollowness of Germany's

starvation cry is exposed in an article

in the Koelnische Zeitung gloating

over the starvation of the Monte-

negrins as an "effectual inducement

to most warlike souls to incline to

AUSTRIAN ACE LIMIT RAISED

TO 55.

The age limit for military service

in Austria has been raised to:55.

London, Jan. 23.

thoughts of peace. -.

London, Jan., 23.

LONDON, Jan. 23

Antivari having been occupied.

An evidently inspired Vienna tele-

Zunicu, Jan. 23,

negotiations the journal says

Amsterdam, Jan. 23.

negrin mystery.

Rome, Jan. 23.

#### THE OPERATIONS IN MESOPOTAMIA.

FIERCE FIGHTING IN "ATROCIOUS WEATHER."

HEAVY CASCALTIES ON BOTH SIDES.

Lospon, Jan. 23. General Lake reports that General Aylmor attacked the Turks at Essin

on the 21st inst. for the suspension of hostilities had Fierce fighting took place throughus their sole object the giving of time out the day with varying success. to assure the retreat of the Monte-The weather was atrocious, pournegrins; .also" of avoiding other ing rain rendering the movement

troops most difficult. It was impossible to re-attack on the 22nd inst, owing to doods. General Aylmer has taken up position 1,300 yards from the enemy's, trenches.

Incessant-min continues\_\_\_\_ The casualties are very heavy on the Serbian Army. both sides.

No details have been received.

Paris, Jan. 23. A communique states that nothing important has occurred. a "

THE WESTERN FRONT.

#### ENEMY AEROPLANE VISITS KENTISH COAST.

LONDON, Jun. 23. The War Office announces that, taking advantage of the bright moonlight, a hostile acroplane visited the which if true would be an unpleasant east const of Kent at one o'clock in surprise: the morning dropped nine bombs in rapid succession, and made off sea-

tries to "save face ":--No naval or military damage was done, but some damage was caused to private property. An incendiary bomb caused fires which were extinwished by 2 o'clock in the morning.

The War Office regrets the following civilian cosualties: One man killed, two women and three children slightly injured.

### OPERATIONS IN THE CAMEROONS

DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

The Ministry of the Colonies not withdrawn his unconditional announces that operations in the Cameroons are drawing to a closeand arrangements have been made whereby mixed columns under General Dobell will deal with the last detachments of the enemy roaming in the southern regions.

#### THE FLOODS IN HOLLAND.

Amsterdam, Jan."23.

The situation at Purmerend is still most critical. The weather is stormy and there has been no subsidence of the flood.

The authorities have ordered the avacuation of the houses in Southern Polder.

The flood has devastated Churchyards of Holysloot, near Nieuwendam, laying open the graves.

#### TERRIBLE TRAIN DISASTER.

SEATTLE, Jan. 23. A train was carried by an avalanche down the mountains 120 miles from here. Two cars rolled down a gulch 800 feet deep. It, is reported that 14 persons were | His first act was to erect a gallows

killed and many injured.

New York, Jan. 23. Another unexplained fire has caused the return to port of the Norwegian steamer Bynga, carrying a cargo of milway material for the

#### JAPANESE IMMIGRATION INTO AMERICA.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23. The Immigration Committee of the House of Representatives has agreed to a Bill restricting Japaness immigration strictly in accordance with the agreement between America and

#### NO IMPORTED LUXURIES FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

PRASTIC SHIPPING REGULATION EXPECTED.

" London, Jan. 29.

The Manchester Guardian states. that a sensational statement is be expected in Parliament to-morro when Sweden's pulp prohibition will be raised.

The Weckly Disputch says the Government has decided on dastic steps as regards shipping. It may safely be said that there will be no imported luxuries whatsoever in few weeks 'time. Certain necessities will be admitted, as, for example, bananas, bub expensive imported fruits will be debarred. Wastefu motoring everywhere has been stopped because it is using up shipping which brings petrol and rubber Probably the importation of pulp and paper will be cut down to Loveen. The Cetinje negotiations

#### SUPERIORITY OF THE BRITISH BATTLE PLANE.

40 per cent.

-London, Jan. 23 Reuter's Correspondent at Headquarters reports that after a visit to the Headquarters of the Flying Corps he is able to refute completely the assertion The Montenegrins under General made in some quarters that our airmen have been bested by the new German

the enemy with the object of joining "We maintain the ascendancy more effectually than ever" he writes, "During the past four weeks five of our machines have been up against every one enemy peroplane. The moral effect of the greater activity of our airmen is The painfulness of the Monte-

proved to be immense." The Correspondent adds that he is able to announce that we possess battle-plane which is a very effective response to the Fokker, and the Ger- date for the Enthronement until the mans well know it from experience. On one occasion one of these new fight ing planes sighted two Fokkers at a height of 2,000 ft. It immediately directed a furious end-on fire on the leading. Fokker, which, losing control, dived erratically. The British machine throughout Java. Subsequently the Berlin papers then opened firs on the second Fokker were allowed to publish an Austrian when 100 ft. above it and sent the Ger- destroyed at Samarang, four persemi-oficial statement which thus man spinning, uncontrolled, downwards.

#### MORE Y.C'S.

is experiencing much difficulty, in LONDON, Jan. 23. disarming its Army, owing to great The Gazeite announces that Victoria Crosses have been conferred on the telephonic communication. Some

portions of the Army and popula- following: -Corporal Alfred Burt, 1st Hertford shires, for removing the fuse of a bomb and saving his comrades at

Brigade, who gave his life to save a wounded officer near La Brique. York, for saving at least four lives and by digging out, while under shell fire, men who were buried.

Private John Caffery, 2nd Yorks and Lance, for rescuing wounded under fire at La Brique.

OTHER MILITARY HONOURS:

and many Distinguished Conduct Medals are also awarded.

Distinguished Conduct Medals are conferred on a number of non-commissioned officers and men for conspicuous gallantry in Mesopotamia, especially at Knt-el-Amara on September 28th last, The recipients include Corporal J. McCombie. (Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders), Corpl. S. Reed, B.G.A., both on the Indian unattached list. Also, Corporal T. Bax, and Private R. H. Pannett of the 2nd West Kents for working machine-guns on the gunboat Comet, whose glorious feat was mentioned in a recent telegram. A telegram from Rome says the

### GREAT FIRE IN NORWAY.

garian General Vuletich Governor of CHRISTIANIA, Jan. 23. A fire has destroyed 140 houses at Incendiarism is suspected King Haakon has gone to the town.

### REPLY TO PEACE CRUSADER.

ENGLISH EMPLOYEES ENROL FOR WAR.

A curious commentary upon the attitude taken up by Mr Henry Ford in his peace efforts was shown recently when the whole of the employees of the Ford Motor Works at Trafford Park, Manchester, attested a body, and thus, while Mr Ford set out on his peace mission his English workmen set out to fight the Germans.

The men, headed by a brass band, left the works at moon and marched in proces-Bion to the city, where they were Attested under Lord Derby's scheme in Group B. and many offered to join the Regular Army

Through the streets they saug all the latest ditties and patriotic songe. The procession attracted great interest.

### THE FAR EAST.

THE DISTURBANCES IN CHINA. MOVEMENT IN YUNNAN LACKS

PEKING, Jan. 23. Apart from the disturbances Kwangtung, which have been mainly due to bandits, the Southern Provinces

appear peaceful. Reports from Yunnan indicate the

lack of support. The situation in Kweichow province appears to be serious. The Civil artillery bombarded -the Governor is stated to be leaving the province. "He has been cashiered because he has asked for leave of

The Lakin and alt Offices in some districts have refused to accept the notes of the Bank of China.

A RISING IN INNER MONGOLIA.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 23. A Mukden telegram states that two divisions of Manchu troops are being Izalowice and the village of Dabrova, sent to Yennan,

volution in Inner Mongolia. Rebels a desperate action is in progress round in three detachments of a thousand the craters of four mines which were each are destroying Chinese villages exploded by the enemy north-east of slong their route

#### ENTHRONEMENT POSTPONED INDEFINITELY.

Tokyo, Jan. 23. The Japanese Minister at Peking telegraphs that the establishment of the Monarchy in China has been indefinitely postponed, owing to the internal disturbances.

Officials in the Chinese provinces have been notified of the decision. [A telegram to the "Wah Tsz Yat]

Po " reads: "The Ministry of Foreign Affairs has intimated to the Foreign Ministers that China is unable to fix a Southern uprising has been suppressed.]

### DISASTROUS FLOODS IN JAVA.

BATAVIA, Jan. 23. Disastrous floods have occurred

Fifty-one houses have been sous have been killed and eight

Landslides have interrupted the railway traffic.

### JAPAN AND RUSSIA.

FUTURE OF THE FAR EAS.

came to Tokyo to convey the Tsar's con-Corporal Alfred Drake, 8th Rife occasion of His Majesty's coronation, has numerous Greek and Serbian left after a continuous round of enter-refugees. gratulations to the Emperor on the tainment, exchanging farewell visits with the Emperor, Prince Kanin and other

Corporal Sammi Meekoshs, 6th West Royal personages.

Count Okuma and members of the Cabinet acsembled at the station to bid inrewell. The Grand Duke who goes on tour into the interior is accompanied by Count Terauchi, Governor General of

His Imperial Highness will later stay Seoul, where Count Temuchi will elaborately entertain.

The Japanese newspapers say that the visit has materially advanced the Seven D.S.O's, 34 Military Crosses The frequency of Cabinet conferences and the Foreign Minister's audiences with the Emperor during the stay has

aroused general speculation. Responsible newspapers state that definite agreement regarding the future of the Far East will shortly be an-

### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF COUNT DRUMA.

INSTIGATED BY POLITICIANS. Tokyo, Jan. 21.

Four arrests have been made in connection with the recent attempt on Count Okuma's life by a bomb thrower. The police say that the attempt was instigated by politicians, who intended to intimidate the Premier into resignstion. The principal prisoner is a wellknown journalist and a member of an anti-Government political club.

#### FOX-HUNTING AND WAR.

A WAR OFFICE APPEAL.

LONDON, Jan. 23. The War Office has circularised masters of lox-hounds asking them to do their utmost to maintain the hunts in view of the importance of the continuance of breeding for the raising ight cavalry horses. Also, to employ inteligible men as far as possible, bu where eligible men are indispensable an appeal for exemption should be made.

#### ATTACKS ON BESSARAPIAN FRONT.

Permocraty Jan 23. A communique states that Russians have resumed their attacks on the Bessarabian front

#### THE FLIGHT OF THE TURKS TO ERZERUM.

RUSSIAN ARTILLERY BOMBARD. ING THE FORTS.

Peteograp, Jan. 23. retreating precipitately from the region of Lake Tortum, the Russians capturing prisoners, rifles, munitions and stores of

Cossacks charged the Turkish reuneasiness of the rebels awing to a arguard near the Erzerum forts, sabred several hundred and captured over a thousand. The remainder of the rearguard fled to Erzerum, Russian

#### THE FIGHTING IN GALICIA

PETROGRAD, Jan. 23. A communique states that the enemy repeatedly, but vainly, attempted to recapture a hill north of Czartorysk. The Russians repulsed attacks on the Middle and Lower Strypa, and on the Dneister, and opened an attack on a hill occupied by the enemy north-east of south-east of Latacz. The village of Prince Mushtu is directing the re- Dabrova has already been stormed, and

(Continued on Page 3.)

### STOP PRESS NEWS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) "PERSIA" SUNK BY TURKISH SUBMARINE.

LONDON, Jan. 23. Telegrams from Berlin declare that 3 Turkish submarine sank the Persia. and that an official Turkish statement will be published on the sub-

The Austrians and Germans hope that this will settle the Persia question us far as the United States is concerned.

GREECE AND CORFU.

NO OBJECTION TO ESTABLISH. MENT OF SERBIAN GOVERNMENT.

ATHENS, Jan. 23. It is announced that the Greek Government sees no objection to"the establishment of the Serbian Government at Corfu and is also disposed to undertake the care of prisoners in The Grand Duke Michaelovitch, who the Macedonian campaign, though it points out that Greece already has

#### IMPORTANT ITALIAN ACTION FORESHADOWED.

LONDON, Jan. 28. An Italian wireless message foreshadows important Italian action in Albania. The Cabinet has considered the matter, but the result of its

deliberations is not published. It is understood, however, that for-reaching decisions have been

Seventy Serbian Deputies have arrived in Rome.

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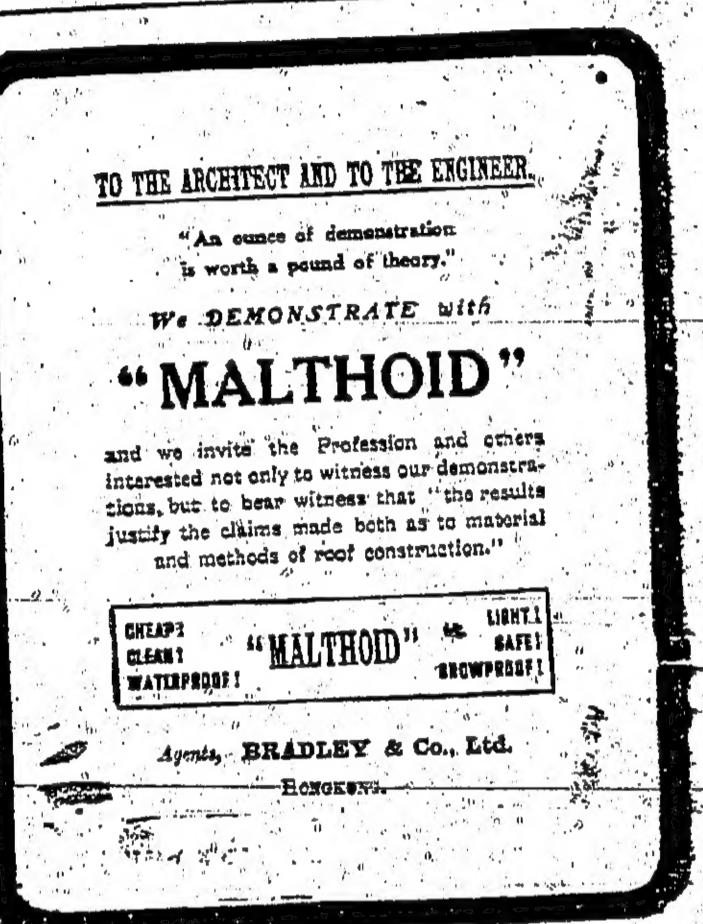
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#### HONGKONG TIDES.

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January 22. Jepan, British str., 3,805, C. P. Soddon, Calcutta Jan. 7, and Singapore 16, General, -DAVID, SAISOON & Co., LD. Kwang Lee, Chinese stonmer, 1,432,9 J.

MoArthur, Shanghai Jan. 19, Genoral.-O. M. S. N. Co. Copack, British str., 2,517, W. Cosker, Sourabaya January 12, General. - BUTTER-

PIELD & SWIRE. Nanyo Moru, Japanese str., 1 953, K. Togani, Moji Jan. 16, Coal .- M. B. G. January 23. Haiching, British steamer, 1,287, W. C.

Passmore, Foochow Jan. 20, Amoy 21, and Denswongs. British str., 1,047. C. W. Shearer, Saig B Jan. 13, Rice and Most.

Hong Kheng, British steamer, 3,085, J. Blason, Singapore January 18, General,—

Wolhaiwai Jan. 170 General. - BUTTERFIELD

Sinklang, British steamer, 1,616, Cr C. Williams, Shanghat January 19, General,-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Kirin Maru, Japanere str., 2,735, T. Sasaki, Bombay and Singapore January 12,

January 24. . Loksang, British str., 907, D. W. Ritchie, Haiphong and Hoibow Jan. 23, General -JANDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD. Fukui Maru, Japanese steamer, 3.087

H. Checaki, Moji dan. 18, Coak - Mirror BURRAN KAISEA. Cheian Maru, Japanesa str., 1,008, M Oka, Kinhon Bay Jan. 20, Coal. - CHINESE Shidzuoka Maru, Japanese atr. 3.869, Tozawa, Seattle and Shanghai January 21, to the Northern boundary of Kowloon. General.-O. S. K.

Empress of Japan, British str., 3,039 F. L. Davison, Vancouver Jan. 1. Flour and General.—C. P. R. Co.

Anhui, Fritish str., from Canton.

#### -DEPARTURES.

January 23. Doilin Maru, for Swatow and Tamsul. Tungus, for Swatow and Bangkok. Tjimanock, for Swatow. Atreus, for Shanghai. Kashing, for Hongay.

Chenan, for Shanghai. Taisho Maru, for Canton. Eirin Maru, for Moji and Kobe. Choysang, for Swatow and Shanghai. Jinju Maru, for Canton. Tilkini, for Amoy and Shanghai. Pakhoi, for Chinwangtao. Banri Maru, for Butavia and Sourabaya.

January 24. To shun, for Shanghai Sinkians, for Canton. Eugnglee, for Canton.

#### PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

"Per Jupan, from Calcutta, &c., Mr Sutherland, Mrs McClain, Birs Shover and 2 daughters, Mr E. B. Davis, Mr J. Cook, Mrs Getty, Mr Alexander, Mrs Whittle.

Mrs. W. B. Hill, Dr and Mrs W. J. Cham-Mr R. Murdock, Mr Mountan. Per Hong Khing, from Singapore,"

R. M. Lippencott, Mr K. H. Sharp, Mr and Mis Sprunge, Mr K. MacGibbon. Per Huichow, from Weihaiwei, Mr Fer Sinking, from Shanghai, Miss Tot-

tenham, Mesaus Fairgrieve and Morrison. Per Empress of Japan, for Hongkong: rom Vancouver, Mr C. C. Drummond, Mr L. M. Jones, Miss P. Ayer, Miss M. Ayer, Dr and Mrs ]rs Ayer, Mr C. Hoverstadt, Mr A. Shewan, Mrs and Master K. Enkde, Mrs A. W. Davison, Master Geo. Razavet, Dr Gertrude-Hulet,-Miss-N.-E.-Parsons, Mr F. Palmer, Mr and Mrs A. B. Grove, Mr HE Steamship and Mrs E. Tawney and child. Mrs J. A. Tawney, Miss J. Tawney, Mrs M. James, Miss L. C. Miller, Miss M. S. Jones, Mrs A. J. McCullough, Mr M. C. Varu, Mr O. Gosbal, Mr T. H. Holcombe, Dr and Mis H. W. Wade, Mrs E. T. Barco, Mr F. B. Sliger, Mr F H. Lee, Lt. E. H. Kolb, Dr M. V. Arguelles, Mr D. A. Preston, Mr and Mrs A. M. Solieralski, Mr and Mrs J. C. Patty. Mr E. R. Hyde, Mr Wayne Gray, Dr J. R. Wright, Mr John Wyer, Mr W. K. Kearns, Mr J. A. Robbins, Mr L. L. Goodrich, Mr G. E. Jack Mr J. P. Jack, Mr D. Fowler, Mr G. C. Mattison, Mr W. V. Hagar, Mr Chas. Shaw, Mr C. E. Saunders, Mr H. Leypoldt, Miss E. R., Saunders, Miss N. A. Scott, Mr E. Levy, Mr C. H. Oter Mr L. C. Dyke, Mr S. D. Winship, Mr R. J Auld, Mr C. A. Clark, Mr R. R. Lukins,

Mr R. O. Scott, Mr and Mrs J. W. Maupin : 'rom Kobe, Mr E. S. Armstrong; from Shanghai, Mr McIlbraith. Par Shidruska Maru, from Scattle, &c., Mr E. G. Buchanan. Mr and Mrs D. M Burchfield, Mr E. R. Claypool, Mr W. E. Crowe, Mr H. Demster, Mr and Mrs W. N. Finlayson and child. Hr M. Fnerst Mr and Mrs R. A. Hankinson, Mr 1 Henderson, Mrs M. A. Heppell, Mr R. Kishingbury, Mr R. Lampkin, Miss J MacDearmid, Mr D. Moore, Mr and Mrs. W. C. Palmer, Mrs E. Phillips, Mr H. C. Prewett, Miss J. C. Scott, Mr T. Toh, Mr

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Haiching from

A. Warden, Mrs K. Takamatau.

Swatow reports: Light variable airs and gales, clear, rough sea. The British stramer Devasongse from Saigon reports : Fresh monsoon to moderate | Hollis, Mr J. Parkes, Miss Buller. N'ly winds, fine weather. The British starmer Hong Kheng from

Singapore reports: Strong monsoon and The British steamer Huichow from Weihal-wei reporte . Calm and light winds hroughout the voyage. w

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ad), every Domestic Building or part of such building within the OENTRAL Division of the City of Victoria, and the WESTERN Division at Kowloom, occupied Swatow 22, General, -- Douglas STRAMBRIE by Members of more than one family, except there within the European Reservation or in Kewloon South of Austin Road or those parts of a Domestic building used as a Shop, Office or Godown, must be CLEANSED and LIMEWASHED THROUGHOUT by the Owners during the months of December and January N.B. The word 'throughout' used in

Ossings and Stair Linings, all Cellings and and inclusive of Verandaks. The Backyard must have its Containing Walls Limewashed up to the level of the

Limewashed, but must be Cleansed. Street on the East and Tank Lane and Cleverly Street on the West.

W. BOWEN ROWLANDS. Secretary.

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACTS.

CEALED TENDERS will be received at A the HEADQUARTERS OFFICE, Victoria Barracks, Hongkong, until Noon on the Undermentioned dates for the following sorvices :--

MONDAY, Mest Fuel (Coal, etc.) 7th February, 1916. Géneral Supplies A) THURSDAY, B 10th February, 1916. Hospital Supplies MONDAY, 14th February, 1916.

THURSDAY, Barrick Services 17th: February, 1916. Forms and other particulars may be obtained personally between the hours of 10" A.M. and I P.M. or by letter to the D.A.D. of Supplies and Transport, Victoria

Barracks, Hongkong. Tender Forms must be properly filled Per Haiching, from Coast Ports, Dr and up, signed and dated, and no tender will be considered unless made out on the berlain, Mr F. B. Marchall, Mr and Mrs proper Form and delivered by 12 Noon on E. del R. Sanking, Mrs S. Wyatt Smith, the above dates in a closed envelope marker "Tender for Forage, etc." Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of \$100 .- as a guarantee of good Taith Such sum to be forfeited to the State i the Tenderer refuses to accept a Contract allotted to him, or to attend at Headquarters Office when called upon. The right to reject all, or any, Tenders

> is specially reserved. Hongkong, Jan., 24, 1916,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUITA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

-Having arrived Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. No Olaims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and

Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th January, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. · Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON & Co., Lo.,

Hongkong, Jan. 24, 1916.

Dec. 11.—Mr Feenley.

#### PASSENGERS EXPICTED.

Per M. M. s.s. André Lebon (ex. Yasaka Maris, London Dec. 4). - Mr In Leefe Mrs V. J. Tartarin and 5 children. Miss V. Tartarin, Miss H. Tartarin, Mrs Bishop, Mrs Sptherland, Mr and Mrs A. E. Griffin, Mr and Mrs J. H. Seth and child, Mr. Mrs and Miss Lacroix, Mrs Anderson and child, Mr Owen Hughes. Per P. & O. s.s. Rhyber. From London

Por N. Y. K. a.s. Miyazaki Maru. From London Dec. 18 .- Mr H. West, Mrs Henderson and infant, Mr C. H. Gale, Mr and Per P. & O. B.S. Medina. From London Dec. 24.—Mrs A. Hamilton, Mr P.

Per N. Y. K. s.s. Kitano Maru. From calm, seas smooth; o. 23rd, strong N.W. London Jan; 1.-Mr and Mrs Roberts; Per P. & O. s.s. Mongolia. From London Jan. S .- Mr A. Turner, Miss L. S.

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Sir Faul and Lady Chater ...... 50 Mr and Mrs Looker ...... 50 On Paris-Mr and Mrs Edkins ..... 30 Mr and Mrs Haucock ...... SO Mr George Hastings ...... 30 Mrs Shollim. ..... 50 Mr acel Mrs Sooth Harston ... 25 Mr and Mrs Wowester ....... 25 Admiral and Mrs Anstruther ... 90 Mr and Mrs Patrenden ..... 20 Mr and Mrs Ormiston 20 Mr and Mrs F. Maitland ..... 20 Mrs Gomportz ..... 10 Mr H. W. Bird ...... 10 Mrs Parr .... 10 Mrs Nowall Mis Hodgson Mrs Hallifar. Mrs Pemberton Mrs Lower Misa Wilkins n Mrs Gibson Mrs Bowley Mrs Bacon ...... Mra Dyer Mrs Gedge Mrs Moxon -Mrs Ham Mrs Aubrey Mr .Fletcher ..... Mrs Jenkin Mrs Black Mrs Nisbet ..... Mrs Marriott

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Total acknowledged to . 8 9,727.54 the 8th January 1916 Since received :-Per "South China Morning Post ":-Collected on New Year's Day at the Police Recreation Ulub 8 Clowns' Collection at the Civil Service Christmas Tree Subscribed by Royal Naval Club ... Mr P. P. J. Wodehouse Mr A. S. Sorensen ....

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Ladies Bridge Book...... 19.30 21.30 Mr F. Maitland..... Par "Hongkong Daily Press :- From Mr. W. V. Pennell. Collection & Gato Money at Football Matches at Happy Valley ..... Kowloon Cricket Club:-Surplus from

Club's last Annual Christmas Draw..... 150.00 Per Hougkong Tramway Co. :-- Collected in Boxes on Tram Cars From 1st to 15th January ..... 28.55 Per Mr. Paul M. Hodgeon:-Proceeds of Sale of Photo-

graphs of the Fanling Golf Course.... Bank Interest to 31st December 1915 ..... \$10,254.74 Expended to 8th Jan. \$9296.17 Loss on Subsidiary Consignment despatch-

ed on the 17th January 200,000 Cigarettes ... 688.17 \$ 9989.8 Balance in hand...... \$ 264.93 D. W. CRADDOCK. Chairman.

Hongkong, 22nd Jan. 1916. HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE AMBULANCE COMPANY.

- First Aid Lectures and Stretcher Drill will, until further orders, be held at the Tung Wah Hospital on Tuesdays and Fridays at 6 p.m. sharp. In the event of a parade of the Company being ordered for any of these days, the Lecture for that day is to be considered as cancelled. The and absence without leave.

MUSKYTRY COURSE, PART IX. The N.C.Os. and men of No. 2 Company | MUSCELLAREOUS. 23rd., will, if circumstances permit, given an opportunity of again firing Range A to Dat a later date. Sunday, January Soth .- All P. Cs. Nos. 3 and 4 Companies who pessed Par I are provisionally warned to fire on the date. Details will be issued.

PARADES 5.30 p.m. Tuesday-January 25th. No. 4 Co. and Recruits of all Companies. 18 Weddiesday -January 28th. No. 2 Co. China Horner Company, Limited 60,000 and Recruits thereof. Thursday January 27th. Nos. 3 and South Chins Morning Post ...... 6,000 Friday-January 28th. All Company China Light & Power Company ... 50.000 Inspectors and Sergeants, PRBRUARY PATROL DUTIES.

The Schedule of February Patrols is to-day being issued. CHINESE NEW YEAR. Nos 1 and 2 Companies will relieve Patrolmen of No 3 Company on Friday 4th and Paturday 5th. BAND PRACTICE.

Tuesday, January 25th at 6 p.m.

F. C. Jankte,

D.B.P. (Beser 186.)

EXCHANGE. Hongkong, January 24, 1916,

On London Bank: Wire Dogumentary, 4 months' sight 2

On demand. Credits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-On demand. On New Fork-On demand. Orodita, 60 days' sight, ... On Bombay-Wires see On demand, Jo Calcutta-Wire, ... On demand.

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Sovereigns (Banks' Buyingrate) \$10.25 n. Chinese Copper Cents ... 4 % dis. Rate of Native interest ... 44% p.a. Chinese Sub. Coin ... ... 171% die. Hongkong Sub. Coin ... 8 % die.

WEATHER REPORT

On the 24th at 10.50, -Pressures has increased in all districts. The anticyclone has sgain strongthened. It is now central over the lower Yangtze Valley.

Depressions lie to the east of Tokio and to the north-east of Hokkaido.

The depression over Mindanao appears to be filling up. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 bours

ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on-Jaduary 25th:-

I .- Hongkong to Gap Rock; North winds, tresh; cloudy. 9:-Formosa Channel: N.E. gale. 2.-South coast of China between Hongsong and Lamocks : The same as No. 1.

4,-South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan : The same as No. 1. ONT Forger after the Show, Supper, and Light Refreshments.

ALEXANDRA CAFE

Open Till Midnight,

SHARE LIST.-QUOTATIONS. JANUARY 24, 1916.

OFFICIAL MORNING QUOTATIONS.

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